TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1907 - HB 1545

March 9, 2009

SUMMARY OF BILL: Expands the settings in which licensed health care providers may provide volunteer health services without being held liable for civil damages to include facilities that charge a nominal fee.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumptions:

- The Board of Medical Examiners will make necessary changes to rules relative to special volunteer licenses during a regularly scheduled meeting which will not result in a significant increase in expenditures.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-3-1011, all health-related boards are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. As of June 30, 2008, the Board had a positive balance of \$108,302.81.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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